

GOVERNMENT OF THE UNITED STATES VIRGIN ISLANDS

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH DIVISION OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH

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What is a Health Card?

A Health Card is proof that you do not carry any parasitic diseases, based on stool sample test results from a certified lab.

- A Health Card legally permits you to work in the following industries: food service, childcare, chiropractors and massage, body art and tattoo parlors, cosmetology (hair, nails, makeup).
- Health Cards are valid for one calendar year.
- Health Cards must be available for DEH Inspectors to view.

How to Get A Health Card:

- 1. Go to any medical lab and tell them you need to test for a health card. The lab will instruct you on how to provide a stool sample to test for parasites. Their fees vary.
- 2. After you receive your stool sample results, please bring the following items to one of our locations
 - The results of the stool sample
 - Your photo identification card (i.e., Driver's License, Passport, or Green Card)
 - Your social security card
 - A valid form of payment (Cash, Check, Visa, MasterCard, AmEx)

St. Croix

Mon - Fri 8:30AM -12PM & 1PM-3PM Charles Harwood Complex, Unit 3 1500 Est. Richmond, Christiansted, VI 00820 340-718-1311 x 3709

St. Thomas/St. John

Mon - Fri 8:30AM-1PM & 2PM-3PM Knud Hansen Complex, Suite 10 1303 Hospital Ground, St. Thomas, VI 00802 340-774-9000 x 4642 (The STT cashier's office is closed Tuesday and Thursday. The procedure on those days it to get the picture, pay at the hospital, and come back for the card)

Fees:

Food Handlers \$30 Food Handlers Plus One Other Classification \$46 Day Care and School Operators, Employees, Volunteers, and Interns \$30 Massage Therapists, Beauticians, Barbers, Nail Technicians \$36 Replacement of Lost or Damaged Health Card \$10